

[REDACTED] TOP SECRET [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

(c) NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION CENTER

Attachment to [REDACTED]

31 August 1966

Page 1

Copy 1

REFERENCE: [REDACTED] LAUNCH SITES 1 AND 2, LAUNCH COMPLEX A
SARY-SHAGAN ANTIMISSILE TEST CENTER, USSR

1. SIGNIFICANCE: SIX GUILD MISSILES AT LAUNCH SITE 1 AND A
NEWLY IDENTIFIED POSSIBLE LAUNCHER AT POSI-
TION 4 OF LAUNCH SITE 2 ARE OBSERVED.

2. REMARKS: THE GUILD MISSILE IS DEPLOYED AT THE SA-1
SAM SITES AROUND MOSCOW.
THE FIRST IDENTIFICATION OF GUILD MISSILES
AT LAUNCH SITE 1 WAS ON [REDACTED]

3. LOCATION: 36 NM WNW OF SARY-SHAGAN.

4. COLLATERAL/COMINT: NONE

5. FIRST IDENTIFICATION: [REDACTED]

6. NEGATION DATE: NONE

7. SUBSEQUENT COVERAGE: THIRTY-EIGHT KH-4, SIX KH-7, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

These notes have been prepared for briefing purposes only and should not be used for detailed analytical work. Their use should be restricted to the particular briefing board(s) they were prepared for and must be considered valid only for the reporting period as indicated by the date of issue. For information concerning these notes contact Chief, Collateral Support Division, NPIC.

GROUP 1
Excluded from automatic
downgrading and declassification

TOP SECRET [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

TOP SECRET

(c) NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION CENTER

Attachment to

31 August 1966

Page 2

8. DIMENSIONS/
SPECIFICATIONS:

SA-2 LAUNCHER:

GUIDELINE MISSILE:

GUILD MISSILE:

LAUNCH SITE 1 (POSITION 7):

U/I LAUNCHER

LAUNCH SITE 2 (POSITION 4):

20 FT POSSIBLE
LAUNCHER

9. MISSION READOUT:

LAUNCH SITE 1. AS OBSERVED ON [REDACTED] A GUIDELINE MISSILE IS ON THE LAUNCHER IN POSITION 1 AND LAUNCH POSITIONS 2, 3, 4, AND 5 REMAIN OCCUPIED BY SA-2 LAUNCHERS. LAUNCH POSITION 7 IS OCCUPIED BY AN UNUSUALLY CONFIGURED, UNIDENTIFIED LAUNCHER WHICH HAS PROMINENT FEATURES RESEMBLING THE OUTRIGGERS OF A PEDESTAL-MOUNTED HEAVY ARTILLERY PIECE. HOWEVER, THE LAUNCHER LACKS PROMINENT BREECH AND TUBE FEATURES AND THE BULK OF A FIRING PLATFORM. AN ERECTOR-LIKE OBJECT APPEARS TO EXTEND UPWARD FROM THE CENTER OF THE LAUNCHER. ESSENTIALLY THIS LAUNCHER CONFIGURATION COULD BE IDENTIFIED AT THIS POSITION

[REDACTED] HOWEVER, POSITION 7 HAS APPEARED OCCUPIED AS EARLY AS

[REDACTED]
AN SA-2 LAUNCHER REMAINS JUST SW OF POSITION 6, AND GENERALLY EAST OF POSITION 6 ARE 7 SA-2 LAUNCHERS, REVEALING AN INCREASE OF 2 SA-2 LAUNCHERS

These notes have been prepared for briefing purposes only and should not be used for detailed analytical work. Their use should be restricted to the particular briefing board(s) they were prepared for and must be considered valid only for the reporting period as indicated by the date of issue. For information concerning these notes contact Chief, Collateral Support Division, NPIC.

TOP SECRET

[REDACTED] **TOP SECRET** [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

(c) NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION CENTER

Attachment to [REDACTED]

31 August 1966

Page 3

AND THE REMOVAL OF A GUIDELINE MISSILE SINCE [REDACTED] THREE GUIDELINE MISSILES ON TRANSPORTERS ARE OBSERVED JUST SE OF THESE LAUNCHERS, WHEREAS ONLY ONE GUIDELINE ON A TRANSPORTER AND A DOLLY WERE OBSERVED ON [REDACTED]

SIX GUILD MISSILES REMAIN CLOSE TO THE EAST BOUNDARY, 2 ON TRANSPORTERS AND 4 APPARENTLY ON CRADLES. NO EVIDENCE CAN BE FOUND OF A GUILD LAUNCHER AT SITES 1 OR 2. IN ADDITION, 3 OF THE 6 SA-2 LAUNCHERS AND 10 OF THE 11 SETS OF BOGIE WHEELS OBSERVED ON [REDACTED] AND 6 VANS REMAIN CLOSE TO THE EAST SITE BOUNDARY. EQUIPMENT IN THE CENTRAL AREA IS UNCHANGED SINCE [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] THE SPOON REST RADAR REMAINS BETWEEN LAUNCH SITES 1 AND 2.

LAUNCH SITE 2. A NEWLY IDENTIFIED POSSIBLE LAUNCHER, APPROXIMATELY 20 FT LONG, IS DEPLOYED AT LAUNCH POSITION 4. THIS IS THE FIRST EVIDENCE OF OCCUPANCY OF ANY OF THESE LAUNCH POSITIONS ON LARGE SCALE PHOTOGRAPHY AVAILABLE SINCE JAN 65. DETAILS ON THIS LAUNCHER AND THE LAUNCHER AT SITE 1, POSITION 7 ARE SUFFICIENT ONLY TO NEGATE THEM AS SA-2 LAUNCHERS. SINCE

[REDACTED] ONE ADDITIONAL VAN HAS APPEARED ON THE CENTRAL GUIDANCE AREA. TEN VANS/PIECES OF EQUIPMENT ARE PARKED IN THE SEPARATELY FENCED AREA ALONG THE EAST BOUNDARY OF SITE 2 ON [REDACTED] ONE PIECE OF EQUIPMENT LESS THAN NOTED ON [REDACTED]

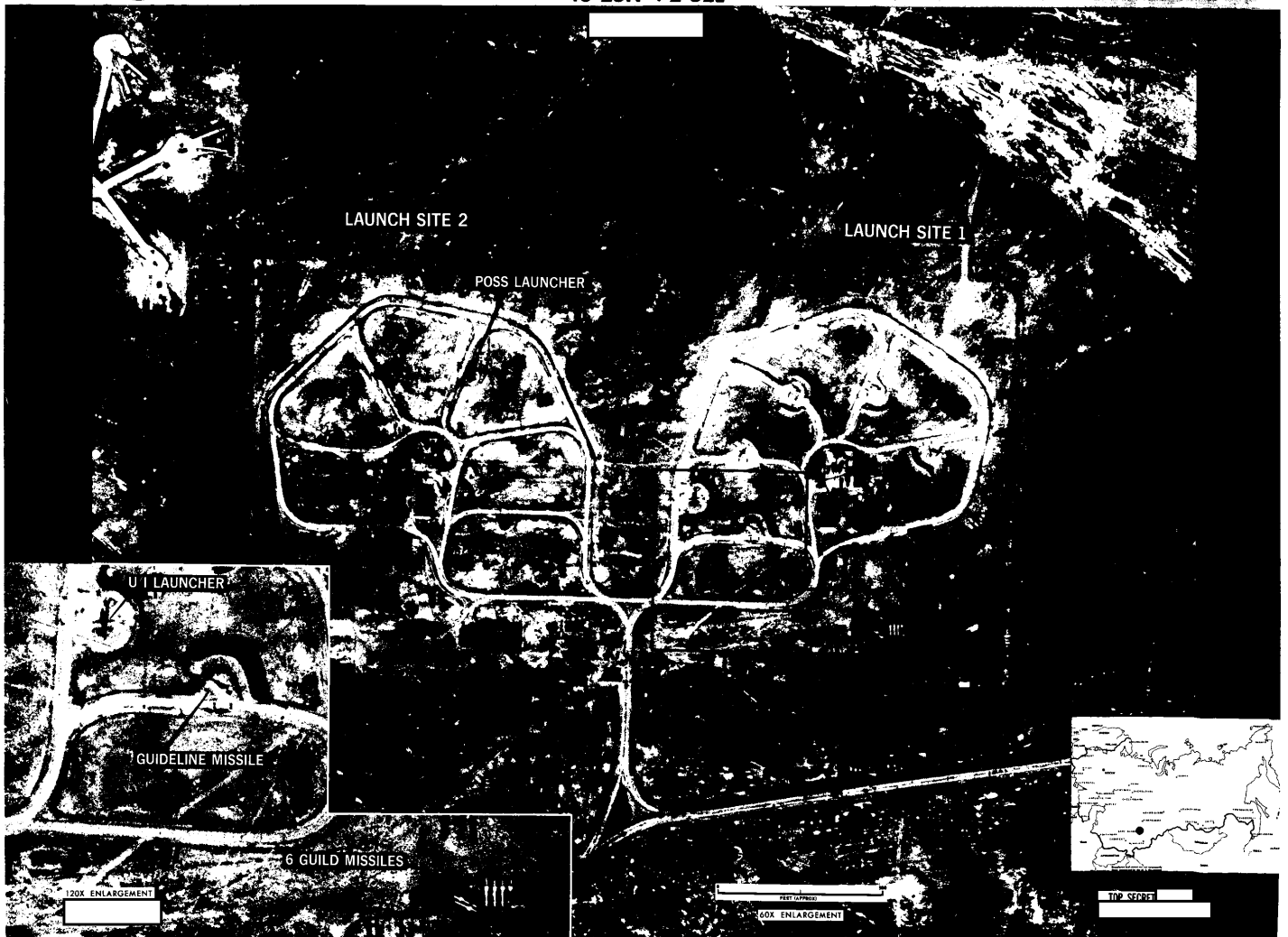
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
These notes have been prepared for briefing purposes only and should not be used for detailed analytical work. Their use should be restricted to the particular briefing board(s) they were prepared for and must be considered valid only for the reporting period as indicated by the date of issue. For information concerning these notes contact Chief, Collateral Support Division, NPIC.

TOP SECRET [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]



LAUNCH SITES 1 AND 2
LAUNCH COMPLEX A
SARY-SHAGAN ANTIMISSILE TEST CENTER, USSR
46-25N 72-52E

25X1
25X1



25X1

25X1
25X1

REPRODUCTION OF THIS DOCUMENT IN
WHOLE OR IN PART IS PROHIBITED
EXCEPT WITH THE PERMISSION OF THE
OFFICE OF ORIGIN.

25X1